

ROANOKE ON WALL STREET.

What Business Men Think of the Suggestion.

James S. Simmons Endorses the Project, and is Ready With His Pro Rata of the Expense—Kemp & Co. Will go it by Themselves if the Others Are Not Disposed to Help—Many Others in Favor of the Project.

The suggestion of Dr. E. A. Parsons, in an interview with him published in the Times Sunday morning about the establishment of a bureau of information on Wall street, has met with universal commendation from those who are directly interested.

A great project is appreciated in Roanoke if anywhere, and Roanokers take hold of anybody's suggestions that will add to the growth and prosperity of the city.

The Times man felt the pulse of the real estate men and others interested in this matter yesterday, and found them in normal condition and of one opinion in favor of the scheme.

"It is entirely practicable," said Jas. S. Simmons, "and I think Roanoke can do nothing better than adopt some means by which the people in the money centers of the country can be kept informed concerning the advantages and opportunities for investment in this section."

"I think it would be well to carry out the idea on a larger scale than has been suggested and establish a bureau of information, not only in New York, but also in Boston and Philadelphia."

"The Wall street investments are almost entirely speculative, and frequently capitalists want to put their money in safer investments."

"At such times money naturally looks to new countries and we should take some steps to make our advantages prominently known, so as to get the benefit of all such opportunities."

"Besides this, with a bureau of information in New York, Philadelphia and Boston, we would be constantly advertising our section in the money centers, and among capitalists who are eager to put their money where it is safe and will pay large interests."

"The different localities of Southwest Virginia are mutually interested, and I think it would be the best plan for the State Real Estate Exchange, which it is proposed to organize, to take hold of this matter."

"Should Roanoke take the initiative, other localities will follow, but it is best that we move together."

"This is an important matter that should not be neglected, and I stand ready to bear my pro rata of the expense of the project."

F. B. Ludwig, of the firm of Francis B. Kemp & Co., when approached on the subject, said the scheme suggested in Sunday's Times was the one thing most needed, and that it should be carried out.

"Why it will be worth more to the city," said he, "than the securing of two big manufacturing plants. We would be placing our advantages before the eyes of men who have money, and who would jump at the opportunity for investment in this section if they only knew of them."

"The new towns of Alabama have attracted much capital by this means and we cannot afford to leave this field open much longer."

"Kemp & Co., have been contemplating doing some work along this line, and will carry out the idea yet if the people of this section do not take hold of this matter. If they do, we are willing to join and help all we can in the good work."

"New York has never been worked for this section, and this is one great reason why this project should be carried out. We have never made our advantages known in the money center of the country, and as soon as we do this we may reasonably expect a large influx of capital and the establishment of many more industries."

"With the large number of people here who are interested, the burden of expense for securing a good man, and supplying him with plenty of literature, would fall lightly upon all."

Mr. W. P. Dupuy, of the firm of Dupuy & Taliaferro, said that he considered the scheme entirely practicable and thought that it would be a great stroke for Roanoke. He was of the opinion that the State Exchange should establish a bureau, but should it fail to move, he thought it would be well for Roanoke to take hold of the matter according to the suggestion in the Times.

President Hockaday, of the Real Estate Exchange, favored the scheme. "It will be a great thing for Roanoke, and this section generally," said he, "if the suggestion can be carried out. The bureau should be established by the State Exchange and I think there is no doubt that this body will take hold of the matter."

"We need to get our advantages before capitalists, and there is no better way to do this than to carry out the suggestion of Dr. Parsons."

President R. H. Woodrum, of the Commercial Club, thought the idea a good one.

"I have not thought of this matter thoroughly," said he, "but do not hesitate to say that a bureau of information in New York would accomplish much for the good of the city. The idea is practicable if the people here will only take hold of it."

L. W. Jamison, president of the West End Land Company, vice-president of the Roanoke Development Company, and prominently connected with many other land companies, was well pleased with the idea.

"Roanoke needs to keep capitalists thoroughly informed as to her advantages, and this is a good way to do it."

"There are closer relations existing between Roanoke and Philadelphia and Baltimore, than between Roanoke and New York, and for this reason my opinion is that it would be better to work according to Dr. Parsons' suggestion in these cities first, and go to New York later if this method proves to be successful."

Try Berlin's Auction House; you will find everything as represented and one price to all. nov15-1m

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

New York, Nov. 24.—[Special]—Exchange quiet and steady at 480½@487½. Money easy at 3 to 5, closing offered at 4. Sub-treasury balances—Gold, \$144,316,000; currency, \$3,373,000. Government bonds dull and steady—4s, 120½; 4½s, 104. State bonds dull and steady.

Ala. CA 2-3s... 104 N. O. Pa., 1st... 89
do. CL B 5s... 107 N. Y. Con... 100½
Ga. 7s mortg... 121 N. & W. prof... 54½
N. C. 6s... 97 N. Pac. prof... 23
do. 4s... 97 N. Pac. pref... 65½
S. C. con Br... 100 Pac. Mail... 34½
Tenn. 6s... 106½ Reading... 32½
Tenn. 5s... 101 R. & W. P. T... 17½
Tenn. sett... 70 Rock Island... 68½
Vir. 6s... 50 St. Paul... 63½
Vir. consuls... 47 St. Paul pref... 107½
Ch. & N. W... 106½ Tex. Pacific... 16½
do. pref'd... 137½ Tn. Coal & Irn... 35
Del. & Lack... 137 Union Pacific... 52½
Erie... 193 N. J. Con... 101½
E. Tenn. new... 74 Mo. Pacific... 67½
Lake Shore... 107½ West. Union... 79½
L. & N... 75 Cot. Oil T. C... 17
Mem. & Char... 50 Brunswick... 19
Moh. & Ohio... 28½ Mob. & O... 63
N. & C... 95 Silver Cer... 103½

PRODUCE AND MERCHANDISE.

New York, Nov. 24.—[Special]—Southern flour firm, more active, common to fair, extra 345@390, good to choice to 440@335. Wheat 2½@2½ higher, firm, dull, light offerings; No. 2 red, 105. Options opened weak, lower on reported failure in Wall street, but late in the day active buyers came in and there was a general rush to cover the contracts, while prices were advancing; closed were strong, active, 2½@2½ over the inside figures; No. 2 red, Nov., 101½; Dec., 104½; May, 107½.

Corn 2½@2½ higher, firm, moderately active; No. 2, 60½@61. Options 2½@2½ higher, active dealing and decreased visible supply; Nov., 60½; Dec., 60½; May, 62. Oats fairly active, strong, 2½@2½ up. Options stronger, more active; Dec., 50½; Jan., 51½; May, 52. No. 2, spot, 49@51½, mixed western, 47@51.

Coffee, options closed steady, unchanged to ten points up, dull; Nov., \$17.25@17.30; Dec., \$17.05@17.10. Spot Rio firm, quiet; No. 7, 17½. Sugar quiet, steady, firm; refining 4½, centrifugals, 96 test, 5½@5½; refined quiet; C, 5 1-16@5 3-16; extra C, 5¼@5½; yellow, 4 15-16@5; standard A, 6 1-16; confectioner's A, 5½; cut loaf, 6½; crushed, 6½; powdered, 6½; granulated, 6½. Molasses, New Orleans, quiet, common to fancy 34@40.

Cotton-seed oil quiet; crude 28, yellow 33@34. Rosin quiet, firm; strained, common to good, 145@150. Turpentine steady and quiet at 40½@40½. Wool steady, quiet; domestic fleece 34@39, pulled 29@34, Texas 18@25. Pork dull; mess \$10.50@12.00, extra prime \$10.50@11.00. Beef steady and quiet; plate \$7.00@7.50, beef hams dull and weak at \$11.50, tierced beef quiet, city extra India mess \$14.00@15.00. Cut meats dull and weak; middles dull and firm; short, clear 6. Lard stronger, quiet; western steam 630, city 580@595, Nov. 626, Dec. 627. Freights, Liverpool, easy; cotton ½, grain 3d asked.

J. D. McNAMEE, TOM. HAYSLIP.
McNAMEE & HAYSLIP,
HOUSE, SIGN AND FRESCO PAINTERS,
GRAINERS AND PAPER HANGERS.

Shops, Radford, Va. Richlands, Va., Buena Vista, Va. Headquarters, Roanoke, Va. Lock Box 9, Roanoke, Va. tf

The Citizens Bank of Roanoke

Roanoke, Virginia,
Salem Avenue, between Jefferson and Henry Streets.

J. H. LAY, President, L. C. Cashier
Commercial Bank Roanoke, Va.
H. M. DICKINSON, Cashier.

Accounts of banks, bankers, corporations, merchants and individuals solicited. Our facilities for doing a general banking business are equal to any banking house in Virginia. Collections a specialty and prompt remittances made. Interest allowed on time deposits. m18-1f.

LADIES!

For chapped hands, face and lips try

Lily of the Valley Lotion.

It is not sticky; better than glycerine.

It has been tried, and is a success.

Price 25 cents. Prepared only by the

wide-awake druggists,

Fox & Christian.

nov19-1m

JAMES DEVON,

(Successor to E. Walsak.)

Dyeing and Scouring Establishment,

104 Campbell street, Third avenue s. w.

ROANOKE, VIRGINIA.

Everything dyed and cleaned in the best manner. Not excelled by any establishment in the country. tf

DEEDS to the lots sold at the sale of the Central Land Company of Buchanan, October 29th and 30th, are ready for delivery. Purchasers are requested to make settlements promptly in accordance with the terms of sale. E. DILLON, President. nov21-1w

Is THERE anything you wish to buy or sell?

Do you want rooms?

Do you want board?

Do you want employment?

Have you stock for sale?

Have you rooms for rent?

Do you want boarders?

If you want anything or have anything to dispose of put an advertisement in THE TIMES. It will cost only one cent per word, and will bring what you want.

Situations Wanted and "founds" inserted free of charge.

WANTED.

SMOKE THE CONQUEROR AND Rare Treat cigars, the best five-cent cigar in the State, at the Continental cigar-stand. Cigars by the box a specialty. nov25-3t

WANTED—To rent a small house or two or three rooms in western or southwestern part of city. Address J. K., 307 2nd street. nov25-3t

WANTED—Position in office by an experienced business man. Can keep books or make himself generally useful. Address "C. B." TIMES office. nov25-1t.

ASTRAY—A cow taken up, which the owner can get by proving property and paying for this advertisement. HENRY STEPHENS, Salem, Va. nov22-1w

TAXES! TAXES!

State and city taxes for years, 1890 are now due, and payable at the treasurer's office. To all bills unpaid December 1st five per cent will be added for such default. Yours Respectfully, nov20-1m C. W. THOMAS.

WANTED—A few young men with satisfactory references can obtain table board at No. 30 Third avenue n. w., near Hotel Felix. nov21-1w

WANTED—Four unfurnished rooms in S. W. part of the city. Address J. T. B., TIMES Office. nov20-1f

WANTED—By young man, employment in grocery, dry goods, clothing or shoe business; references given. Address S. T., TIMES office. nov19-7t

WANTED—To let business and professional men know that they can secure the service of an expert stenographer and type writer by calling up telephone 150 or calling at Stenographic or Typing Bureau, room 7, Masonic Temple. Parties desiring to dictate correspondence or have contracts, etc., copied and thus enabled to do so with a loss of time.

PARTIES wishing stable for two horses and buggy house can apply to 352 Church street. nov 2-tf.

POSITION WANTED by a graduate of Kentucky University, (in book-keeping and banking). Best references given. Address T. G. HARDWICK, New York, Giles Co., Va. nov17-1aw-4

HAVE your house painted in first-class style by Carr. None but first-class material used.

HAVE YOUR DINING ROOM CEILING nicely decorated in either oil or water colors. Carr can do it. m18-1f

NOTICE.—All persons having relatives and friends buried in the City Cemetery are notified that if they will purchase a lot in Fairview Cemetery their dead will be removed free of charge. This privilege is only extended until January 1, 1891. Call on C. W. C. Woolwine. W. P. HUFF, C. W. C. WOOLWINE, nov5-1m Committee

A First-Class Investment.

We offer the best security in the city and pay semi-annual dividends. As a savings bank this institution offers special inducements. Paid up shares \$5 each. Installment shares \$1 per month. Shares may be subscribed for at any time. For further information address The People's Perpetual Loan and Building Association.

WM. F. WINCH, Sec'y and Treas.

Room 6 Tam la tf

THE RIVERMONT COMPANY.

LYNCHBURG, VA., Nov. 13, 1890. A general meeting of the stockholders of the Rivermont Company is hereby called to meet in this city, at the Calceuthenic Hall, on Thursday, the 16th day of December, at 4 o'clock p. m. By order of the board of directors. nov15-1m A. M. DOYLE, Sec'y

MINERAL LAND.

I offer for sale 201 acres of Coal and Iron Land, situated in the Catawba valley of Virginia, eleven miles from Roanoke. The outlook for great developments on this property is splendid. The ore is a vein of soft brown hematite 32 feet wide and assaying 50 per cent, metallic iron. And the coal prospects are fine—two shafts having been sunk, one 20 and the other 25 feet, through solid coal slate. The property also contains a mineral spring, which the analysis of Lehmann & Mager proved to possess remarkable curative powers for all kidney troubles, especially for diabetes. The enormous quantity of coal and ore that will be required for the large number of furnaces and other industrial plants in course of construction in Southwest Virginia will greatly increase the already large demand for these minerals, and consequently enhance the value of such property. Two railroads have been surveyed near the property, one of which the Roanoke and Craig railroad, and the other, the Virginia Western railroad, will afford valuable connections. Fuller information can be had by addressing H. ROSENHEIM, 413 W. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md. nov8-3m

FRANCIS B. KEMP & CO.,

Real Estate Agents.

MAIN OFFICE: Roanoke, Va.

BRANCH OFFICES

BUCHANAN, VA.,

MAX MEADOWS, VA.; FRONT ROYAL, VA.; SHENANDOAH, VA

WINSTON, N. C.

Special attention given to applications made to us for lots at any of our offices.

F. B. KEMP & COMPANY.

ROANOKE OPERA HOUSE.

One Night,

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25.

Crusaders in the Land of Fun!

WAIT! WAIT! WAIT!

The Comedy Success is Coming!

The Favorite Comedians,

Herbert and Joe

CAWTHORN,

Under the direction of

Brady & Garwood,

Presenting the latest musical comedy

crude,

Little Nugget.

New songs, dances, music, specialty say-

ings, situations, climaxes, etc., etc.

The Famous Nugget Quartet.

A grand act on their last.

Seats on sale at Johnson & Johnson's

drug store.

ROANOKE OPERA HOUSE.

Wednesday, Nov. 26.

ONE NIGHT ONLY!

MISS

Clara Louise Kellogg,

Leading prima donna soprano of the

Grand Opera Houses in London, Vienna,

Berlin, Paris, St. Petersburg and New

York.

IN CONCERT AND GRAND OPERA.

Part I.—Miscellaneous.

Part II.—Entire fourth act of Verdi's

grand opera,

"Il Trovatore!"

In full costume and stage settings. The company includes

Miss Clara Louise Kellogg,

Soprano,

and

Miss Carrie Morse.....Contralto

Mr. Henry Dickman.....Tenor

Mr. William H. Lee.....Baritone

Mr. Charles E. Pratt.....Pianist

Reserved seats \$1.25.

Special Notice—Seats will be on sale

at Johnson's drug store.

nov11-6m3taw

Southwest Virginia Mineral,

Timber, Farm and City Property

Agency.

Principal Office, Roanoke, Virginia.

The undersigned have opened an office

for the sale of mineral, timber and

farm land, and city property on commission.

They will develop mineral lands,

analyze ores, give instructions for de-

veloping on a reasonable charge, sell

farm and timber lands. All mineral,

farm and timber lands listed with them

for sale will be extensively advertised

through agencies in the Northern States

and Europe. A record of all ores, their

analyses and location will be kept in

our office for inspection of buyers.

MINERALS A SPECIALTY.

All persons having a mineral, farm or

timber lands are requested to list them

with us for sale. The long experience

of our senior, Mr. J. A. Dalby, in mining

and sale of real estate warrant us in as-

suming our patrons that their interests

will be properly guarded in the sale of

their property, and all money coming

into their hands will be promptly paid

over. Owners may, if preferred, employ

their special agent or attorneys.

Persons, in sending descriptive list of

property, are specially cautioned against

giving overdrawn descriptions, as it

lessens chances of sale. We also advise

against giving options on mineral

properties, they often interfere with

sales and lead to litigation.

We shall do a legitimate commission

business.

Active, reliable agents wanted in

every county in Southwest Virginia.

All city property listed with us will

have prompt attention, and sold to best

advantage.

We have booked for sale a list of im-

proved and unimproved property, busi-

ness and dwelling houses in different

sections of the city.

Persons wishing to buy or sell are

respectfully invited to call on us.

Office, Room 3, Moomaw Building,

Jefferson street.

Refer to First National Bank of Ro-

anoke, Virginia.

J. A. DALBY, SONS & CO.

nov11-6m3taw

PUBLIC SALE OF STOCK.

The following named subscribers to the capital stock of the Crystal Spring Land Company, having failed to pay the first and second call on the said stock, as required by the president and board of directors of said Company, in pursuance of a resolution of the board of directors of said Company, the stock of said delinquent subscribers in said Company will, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of November, 1890, at 12:00 o'clock m., in front of the Courthouse, in the city of Roanoke, Va., be sold at public auction for cash.